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WHERE OPPORTUNITY BEGINS

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Ward 6 Community Meeting

Held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 6 p.m. at Cleveland Public Library–Rice Branch 11535 Shaker Boulevard Cleveland, Ohio 44104 Live-streamed at Facebook.com/Griff4CLE6.

The next meeting will be held April 8.

More information: Diana Pride-Mays @ 216-664-4234

3rd District Community Safety Meeting

3rd Tuesday of every month at 6 p.m.
3rd District Community Room
4501 Chester Avenue

FRDC RESOURCES

CMSD Community Meeting in Fairfax/Central

April 24 | 6 p.m.

East Tech High School
2439 East 55th Street
Cleveland, Ohio 44104

The Cleveland Metropolitan School District (CMSD - signalcleveland.org/cmsd) will host ten community meetings in April as district leaders continue to plan budget cuts, including possible school building closures and improvements in academics.

These community input sessions are part of CMSD's "Building Brighter Futures"-clevelandmetroschools.org/Building-Brighter-Futures initiative, a plan to reduce expenses by \$30 million, while addressing the academic quality gaps between the district's schools. There will be seven in-person meetings at schools throughout Cleveland, along with three online meetings.

Model Block Program

Need help with minor exterior repairs, such as power washing, gutter cleaning, and paint touchups?

More information:
Jesse @ 216-361-8400

Fairfax Community Block Clubs

Current Block Clubs with regular meetings include the East 89th Street Club meeting, every 3rd Thursday at 7 p.m., and the East 95th Street Club meeting, every 3rd Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.

More information:
Jesse @ 216-361-8400



Computer Open Lab (Interim Schedule)

The lab is open Monday, Tuesday & Friday from 10 a.m. to Noon until further notice.

We are currently interviewing for the position of Neighborhood Technology Coordinator.

Please view the job description on our website at <https://fairfaxrenaissance.org/about-us/careers/>

FREE FOOD AND HOT MEALS

Antioch Baptist Church

8869 Cedar Avenue
Loaves & Fishes
Free Hot Meals Program
Monday, Tuesday &
Thursday
11 a.m.–Noon

Bolton Elementary School

9803 Quebec Avenue
Drive-Thru Produce
2nd Friday of the month
3–5 p.m.

Cleveland Alphas Community Food Pantry

2820 East 116th Street
Frozen Meats, Poultry,
Boxed Goods
1st Wednesday
of the month
10 a.m.–1 p.m.

Emmanuel Baptist Church

7901 Quincy Avenue
Hot Meal Program
2nd & 4th Wednesday of
the month
Carry Out Service Only
Noon–1:30 p.m.

Liberty Hill Baptist Church

8206 Euclid Avenue
Fresh Produce
Distribution
1st Wednesday of
the month
10:30 a.m.–1 p.m.

Free Meal
3rd Saturday of the
month

11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Manna Church

8019 Cedar Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
3rd Saturday of the month
Walk-up
2–4 p.m.

Olivet Institutional Baptist Church

8712 Quincy Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
3rd Saturday of the
month
10 a.m.–Noon
A photo ID is needed

Open Door Missionary Baptist Church The Hunger Center

8215 Woodland Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
April 25
7:30–11 a.m.

St. James AME Church

8401 Cedar Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
3rd Friday of the month
Both Drive-Thru &
Walk-Up
Noon–2:30 p.m.

True Holiness Temple

7710 Euclid Avenue
Food Pantry Distribution
4th Tuesday of the month
4:30–6 p.m.



LEAD SAFE HOME PROGRAM

Did you know that one in four children in Cleveland test positive for lead poisoning before the age of six? If your home was built before 1978, you or your property owner may qualify for financial assistance from the Lead Safe Home Program administered by FRDC.



For more information, visit fairfaxrenaissance.org to register for one of our FREE information and application assistance clinics, or call **216-361-8400**.

PNC FAIRFAX CONNECTION FEATURED WORKSHOPS

Workshops are in person unless noted as “virtual.”

To register, call (216) 391-4677 or visit www.pncfairfaxconnection.com

Entrepreneurship Workshops: Stuck @ Start

April 9, 15, 23 & 30 | 5:30–7 p.m.

Building on the basics, this series of workshops will help aspiring business owners lay the proper mental foundation for success in business. Do you have an idea you’ve been eager to launch but feel “stuck” trying to figure out how to “start”? These workshops will provide you with the guidance necessary to kick off your journey with the right mindset to set yourself up for success.

Speaker Series April 16 | 5:30–7 p.m.

Each month promises to bring new knowledge from the very best of today’s thought leaders. The Speaker Series has been carefully crafted to deliver a range of captivating and inspiring speakers—renowned entrepreneurs, community leaders, and award-winning journalists. This month’s speaker is early childhood expert, Dr. Deforia Lane.

Great Lakes Science Center Family Workshop

April 15 | 4:30–5:30 p.m.

Encourage your little ones to explore scientific thinking! This program is designed for families with elementary-aged children. Participants will use their senses to discover our world through hands-on activities how 3D printers work and gain hands-on experience creating your own models.

How to Ace a Job Interview April 21 | 11 a.m.–Noon

This workshop encompasses everything from researching the company to sending a follow-up thank-you note, covering all the essential skills needed for interview success. Participants will enhance their interviewing abilities, explore various types of interviews, and build the confidence necessary to secure their next job!

IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD



IMPORTANT DATES

VOTE CUYAHOGA COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

MAY 2025 PRIMARY ELECTION

April 7th	Voter Registration Deadline 9:00PM
April 8th	Early Voting Begins (Absentee & In-Person)
April 29th	Absentee Ballot Request Deadline 8:30PM
May 5th	Absentee Ballot U.S. Postmark Deadline
May 6th	Primary Election 6:30AM to 7:30PM

For more information, visit boe.cuyahogacounty.gov

EASTER EGG HUNT

April 12 | 2-4 p.m.

The event is hosted by the Fairfax Recreation Center Advisory Board and will include light refreshments, candy, a raffle and a visit from the Easter Bunny.

Location:

Fairfax Recreation Center
2335 East 82nd Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44104

Wishing You A Happy Easter!



Neighborhood Conversations

Join Fairfax residents for an evening of community conversation at the Fairfax Market Cafe. This month's focus is Spring Paint & Sip. (coffee & non-alcoholic beverages)

2190 E 105th St. Cleveland, OH 44106

For additional information contact:
Jesse Dismukes @ 216-361-8400/jdismukes@fairfaxdev.org

Community Coffee Social Event

Wednesday, April 30
6 - 7:30 PM

FREE FOOD COFFEE + TEA AND MORE!



PARK CLEAN-UP

April 12 | Noon-2 p.m.

Volunteers are needed!

More information and to sign up:
Jesse @ 216-361-8400



EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

7901 Quincy Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44104



IGNITE 360 NEW youth program for ages 7 to 15

Designed to INSPIRE, EDUCATE, and EMPOWER youth to become leaders in their lives and in their communities.

Program begins in April.

More information:
216-342-4381 or
sos4sustainability@gmail.com

SUMMER PROGRAMS

Registration is open and summer camp scholarships are available!

More information:
216-432-2212 or
www.strengtheningourstudents.com

Request application:
sos4sustainability@gmail.com



Organizations can order free books using the [Kids' Book Bank order form](#) and families can check out [community bookshelves](#) to stock up on books for their home libraries. If you or someone you know has gently used kids' books that they would like

to donate, they can drop books off at one of the [22 collection bins](#) located in the area. Questions about the Kids' Book Bank can be directed to jessica@kidsbookbank.org or 216.417.1803.

JOBS BOARD >>>



PROVIDE A RIDE IN-PERSON HIRING EVENT

April 2 | 10 a.m.–1 p.m.

Available Positions:

- Customer Service Representative
- Driver Passenger Transport
- Transportation Coordinator

Location: Quincy Place, Multi-purpose Room, 2nd floor
8111 Quincy Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44104

More information: [HigherMe](#) or workforce@fairfaxdev.org

TOWNE PARK IN-PERSON HIRING EVENT

April 10 | 10 a.m.–1 p.m.

Available Positions:

- Valet
- Park Concierge
- Call Center Representative

Location: Quincy Place
Multi-purpose Room, 2nd floor
8111 Quincy Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44104

More information:
<https://www.townepark.com/careers/> or workforce@fairfaxdev.org



CITY OF CLEVELAND IN-PERSON HIRING EVENT

April 16 | 10 a.m.–1 p.m.

Location: Quincy Place, FRDC Lab, 1st Floor
8111 Quincy Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44104

More information:
<https://www.clevelandohio.gov/careers>
or workforce@fairfaxdev.org



CITY OF CLEVELAND
Mayor Justin M. Bibb



Free Parking for these hiring events!

LANGSTON HUGHES OUTPATIENT CARE

2390 East 79th Street, 2nd Floor
Cleveland, Ohio 44104

Primary Care Services for Adults–Internal Medicine

Services Include:

- Primary Care Internal Medicine
- Health Education
- Primary Care Social Worker
- Pediatric Behavior Health
- Adult Behavior Health
- Obstetrician Gynecologist
- Endocrinology
- Weight Management
- Fitness Center
- Chair Yoga
- Community Health Workers
- Community Services Assistance (Housing, Utilities, Digital Education and more)

Call for an appointment: 216-361-1773
clevelandclinic.org/langstonhughes



FRDC 2025 Office Closings

- Presidents' Day
- Good Friday
- Memorial Day
- Juneteenth
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Thanksgiving Day-After
- December 24, 25 & 26
- December 31
- New Year's Day

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